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Marlene Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Federal Communications Commission
Office of Secretary

Re: Section 63.71 Application of PT-1 Communications, Inc. and PT-1 Long Distance, Inc.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of PT-1 Communications, Inc. and PT-1 Long Distance ("PT-1" or "Applicants"), enclosed please find an original and six (6) copies of an application for authority to discontinue the provision of certain domestic services. Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission issue a Public Notice regarding this application as soon as possible. Please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy of this filing and return it in the envelope provided. Should you have any questions with respect to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (202) 955-9669.

Respectfully submitted,



Katherine E. Barker Marshall

Enclosures

cc: Service List

Rodney McDonald, Competitive Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau

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In the Matter of)
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Section 63.71 Application of)
PT-1 LONG DISTANCE, INC. AND)
PT-1 COMMUNICATIONS, INC.)
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PT-1 Long Distance, Inc. and PT-1 Communications, Inc. (“PT-1” or “Applicants”) hereby seek authorization pursuant to Section 214(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the “Act”), 47 U.S.C. § 214, and Section 63.71 of the Commission’s Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.71, to discontinue their provision of certain domestic telecommunications services – namely, presubscribed long distance services – to end users in all states where Applicants are authorized to provide telecommunications services.¹

¹ PT-1 Long Distance, Inc. offers service in the following jurisdictions: Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, North Carolina, New Jersey, New Mexico, Nevada, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Virginia, Washington, Wisconsin, and West Virginia. In addition, PT-1 Communications, Inc. is certified to provide services in all of the states listed above, but all services to customers are provided by PT-1 Long Distance, Inc.

Applicants provide the following information pursuant to Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules:

1. Name and Address of the Carrier: PT-1 Long Distance, Inc. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of PT-1 Communications, Inc., and both companies are headquartered at 30-50 Whitestone Expressway, Flushing, NY 11354 .

2. Date of Planned Service Discontinuance, Reduction or Impairment: The Applicants plan to discontinue service to the affected customers in the states listed in footnote 1 above as of January 31, 2006. Applicants understand that this application will be automatically granted on the 31st day after public notice of filing unless the Commission notifies the Applicants to the contrary.

3. Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected: Applicants will discontinue the provision of the services listed above to the affected customers in the states listed in footnote 1 above.

4. Brief Description of Type of Service Affected: PT-1 intends to discontinue the provision of presubscribed long distance services to end users.

5. Brief Description of the Dates and Methods of Notice to All Affected Customers: Applicants provided written customer notice in accordance with the requirements of Section 63.71(a) of the Commission's Rules by notice dated November 1, 2005. Notice was sent by first class mail to the affected customers on November 1, 2005. A copy of the notice is appended hereto as *Exhibit A*.

6. Whether the Carrier is Considered Dominant or Non-dominant with Respect to the Service to be Discontinued, Reduced or Impaired: Applicants are considered non-dominant carriers with respect to the affected services.

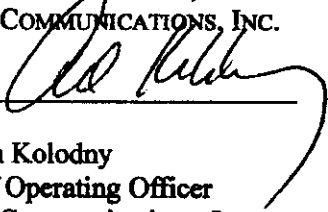
In accordance with Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules, a copy of this Application is being mailed to the Governors and public services commissions of the states listed above, and to the Special Assistant for Telecommunications for the Secretary of Defense, concurrently with the filing of this application.

Additional questions regarding this application may be addressed to the undersigned or to Steven A. Augustino or Katherine E. Barker Marshall, KELLEY DRYE & WARREN LLP, 1200 19th Street, N.W., Suite 500, Washington, D.C. 20036, (202) 955-9600, saugustino@kelleydrye.com.

Respectfully submitted,

PT-1 LONG DISTANCE, INC.
PT-1 COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

By: _____


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Dated:

EXHIBIT A
CUSTOMER NOTICE

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November 1, 2005

DISCONTINUANCE OF LONG DISTANCE SERVICE NOTICE

Dear Valued Customer,

PT-1 Long Distance, Inc. (PT-1), which provides long distance services via the 101-6868 code, has sold most of its business to Startec Global Communications. Since September 1, 2005 all customers who dial the code 101-6868 before their long distance calls are using a Startec service.

According to our records, you are one of the customers who utilize our service on a direct dial basis— which means that you selected PT-1 (101-6868) to be your primary long distance carrier. Your account has not been transferred to Startec and you remain a PT-1 customer. We wish to inform you that after January 30, 2006, PT-1 will no longer offer long distance services, in all states where PT-1 is authorized to provide telecommunications services. Accordingly, you must select a new primary long distance carrier prior to January 30, 2006 or you will not have access to direct dialed long distance service.

Please call PT-1 customer service at 1-888-660-5377 if you would like additional information about this letter. We will be happy to provide you with information on direct dial plans available for you through Startec, which features some of the best international and US long distance plans in the market. Startec is currently offering a direct dial rate plan, which offers 20% savings off the current 101-6868 rates.

You have the right to choose a long distance provider other than Startec. Please note that after January 30th, you may continue to use the 101-6868 service by dialing 101-6868 prior to your calls. If you placed a preferred carrier "freeze" on your telecommunications services to prevent their unauthorized transfer to another carrier, you must contact your local service provider to lift the freeze to arrange for a new long distance provider.

The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of services unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments within fifteen (15) days after receipt of this notification. Address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554, referencing the §63.71 Application of PT-1. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuance upon you or your company, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service.

Please call the PT-1 (101-6868) customer service staff at 1-888-660-5377 if you have any questions about this notice.

Sincerely,

Adam Kolodny
COO

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing Section 63.71 Application was served this 19th day of December 2005, by mailing true and correct copies thereof, postage prepaid, to the following persons at the addresses listed below.

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ATTN: Special Assistant for
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